



BC Energy Regulator

NOTICE OF INTENT TO CONTRACT

The British Columbia Energy Regulator (BCER) is hereby giving notice of the intent to renew the support and security components for our firewall infrastructure. The renewal will be purchased through IOSecure that was the successful bidder on Invitation to Quote #21120003. The following responsibilities will be within scope:

- 3 year renewal to 2028.

The BCER has chosen not to tender this contract for the following reasons:

1. The BCER is not looking to replace or move away from our current solution and is only interested in purchasing support for the next three years.
2. IOSecure has an exclusive and confidential agreement with the BCER as a 3rd party vendor for our account and was the successful vendor through an ITQ process to purchase licensing and support services.

Resellers wishing to object to this decision should contact the procurement team via email at Procurement@bc-er.ca on or before **2:00 p.m. local time on November 4, 2024 presenting specific reasons for their objections.** Reseller ability to offer the same level of service at a lower cost in the same time frame will be the key criteria regarding the consideration of reseller objections.

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